

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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For: A DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING NETWORK EQUIPMENT  
MANAGEMENT DATA, FOR A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK MANAGEMENT  
SYSTEM

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final  
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